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UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.	042390.P9144
First Inventor or Application Identifier	Robert P. Hale
Title	A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR VERIFYING THE INTEGRITY OF
Express Mail Label No.	EL466331508US

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1.  Fee Transmittal Form  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)2.  Specification [Total Pages 20]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 8]

4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 4]

- a.  Newly executed (original copy)
- b.  Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)
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see 37 CFR §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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Group/Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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Filing Date	September 29, 2000
First Named Inventor	Robert P. Hale
Examiner Name	
Group/Art Unit	
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### BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	690	201	345	Utility filing fee	\$690.00
106	310	206	155	Design filing fee	
107	480	207	240	Plant filing fee	
108	690	208	345	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>		<b>(\$)</b>		<b>690.00</b>	

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Total Claims	Independent Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
33	8	20 = 13	X 18.00 =	\$234.00
		3 = 5	X 78.00 =	\$390.00
Multiple Dependent				

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### Large Entity

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	78	202	39	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	260	204	130	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid	
109	78	209	39	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
<b>SUBTOTAL (2)</b>		<b>(\$)</b>		<b>624.00</b>	

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEE

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105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112 920*Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113 1,840*Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215 55 Extension for response within first month	
116	380	216 190 Extension for response within second month	
117	870	217 435 Extension for response within third month	
118	1,210	218 680 Extension for response within fourth month	
128	1,850	228 925 Extension for response within fifth month	
119	300	219 150 Notice of Appeal	
120	300	220 150 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	260	221 130 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138 1510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,210	241 605 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,210	242 605 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	430	243 215 Design issue fee	
144	580	244 290 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123 50 Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126 240 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	790	246 395 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	790	249 395 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
Other fee (specify)			
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